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THOMAS J. RUSHING, Esq., *2902 Pine Street, St. Louis, Mo.*, writes: "I was a great sufferer from catarrh for three years. At times I could hardly breathe, and was constantly hawking and spitting, and for the last eight months could not breathe through the nostrils. I thought nothing could be done for me. Luckily, I was advised to try Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and I am now a well man. I believe it to be the only sure remedy for catarrh now manufactured, and one has only to give it a fair trial to experience astounding results and a permanent cure."

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ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office over the Postoffice, Decatur, Illinois.

DR. A. S. WALTZ,
—DENTIST.—
Office over Barber & Baker's shoe store, 122 East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

CHINA'S GREAT WALL.

It Was Constructed of Whatever Material Was Most Plentiful.

For a short distance either side of the Lo-wan pass the wall is constructed of brick, with rubble in the center; but farther away it is composed almost wholly of stone; in fact, whatever materials were closest at hand would appear to have been made use of. Thus, at the spots we visited, granite abounded in greatest profusion, so in the construction of the wall was it made the principal ingredient, and for miles the wall consists of large, shapeless masses of granite, smoothed only on the outside. We observed but one tower built entirely of stone, they being, with this exception, composed of brick, with foundations of hewn stone. The height of the wall from the top of the parapet is about 17 feet 10 inches at most parts, though occasionally, where the parapet is highest, it measures 18 feet 6 inches; its breadth is 18 feet, and the height of the parapet 5 feet 4 inches. The towers are 31 feet 3 inches high and 28 feet 1 inch broad. The parapet is both crenelated and loopholed, and the towers are pierced for the discharge of some projectile. From any elevated site the scenery well repay one for the trouble of ascent; clear streams are seen meandering down the passes, while on every side, and looming far in the distance are a succession of brown hilltops, with small patches only under cultivation. Droves of pack-asses are seen going and returning, the former unladen, and the latter bringing a small kind of brushwood, which the boarders burn instead of the millet-stock in use on the plains, while in wild abundance are scattered innumerable ash, poplar, and fire trees. Off shoots branch out from the wall in occasional places. For their construction it is difficult in every case to assign a reason. The little town Lo-wan Eu is completely encircled by one, and on the opposite a double wall winds upward with the portions in nearly parallel lines.

A visit the following day to the pass of Cha-pow, distant about twenty-one lee from that of Lo-wan, confirmed our surmise that in the erection of the wall the contractors (if such there were) availed themselves to any extent of the building materials closest at hand. We noticed several guns, most of which were partially imbedded in the earth of rubble forming the center of the wall; one bore an inscription recording that it was cast in the reign of Wan Lee, the last Emperor of the Ming dynasty. It must, therefore, have been upward of two hundred and sixty years old, and was evidently fashioned after a European model. A great many of the towers were in a decayed state, and the interior of some of them having been cleared of debris, were converted into gardens and granaries.—*Once a Week.*

MAD ABOUT SOMETHING.

Why the Grin Faded from the Face of a Practical Joker.

At eight o'clock the other night a citizen drove up in front of a hotel on Michigan avenue and went in to look for a man. A minute later an individual came out of a tobacconist's near by, espied the horse and cutter and a broad grin lighted up his face as he chuckled:

"Egad! but this is Jim's rig. I'll give him a little scare!"

He unhitched the horse, climbed in and drove softly away, and was well out of sight when the owner came out.

"I've been expecting it!" he growled as he found the rig gone, "but I'll make it hot for the thief!"

He ran this way and that, notifying three or four policemen and a score of citizens, and twenty minutes later something happened. A man with a grin on his face might have been seen driving on Woodward avenue. A policeman might have been seen climbing into the cutter with him. The grin might have been seen fading as the pair entered police headquarters. The officer came out in a few minutes, but the citizen didn't. He staid there all night. In the morning he was able to convince every body that it was only a joke, and was allowed to go, but he went off like a man who was mad about something.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Civil vs. Military Law.

It has long been a mooted question how far a civil tribunal of the United States could take cognizance of a criminal offense by a soldier or sailor in the service of the Government. A man named Stone, a private of the Twenty-third infantry, was convicted by a military court-martial of malicious falsehood, and sentenced to two years' hard labor in the military prison. One day he made a great rush for liberty, but was closely pursued, and, after he had been repeatedly ordered to halt, a sergeant named Clark shot him dead. Clark was indicted and tried before a United States court, and the outcome of the matter was that he was discharged upon the ground that the court had jurisdiction to discharge or convict the prisoner, because the law military in no way interferes with the civil or municipal law of the country, and, second, that while in the civil law the killing of an escaping felon is justifiable, the killing of a fugitive guilty of a misdemeanor only is not justifiable, yet the principle must not be too narrowly construed; and, whereas, in this case, the killing is done in good faith and without malice, in the performance of a duty incident to military law, the court will, if the discretion of the prisoner has been intelligently exercised, not hold him for murder.—*Chicago News.*

ANYONE in search of a first-class cooking apparatus can find what they want in the "Home Comfort" Range sold by Morehouse, Wells & Co. One of the best housekeepers in the city says: "We did not know what home comfort was until we got a 'Home Comfort' range in the house." n30-tf

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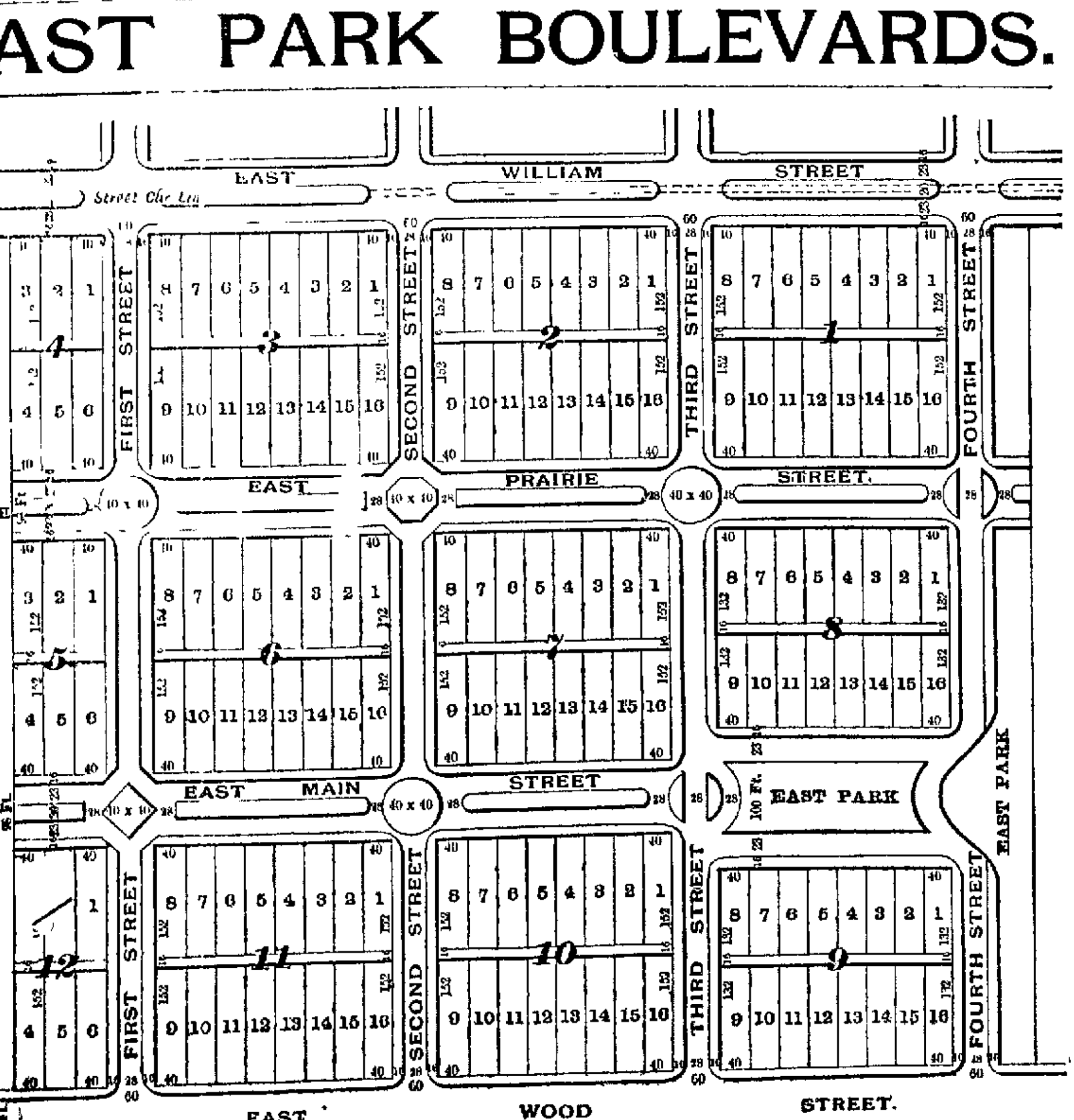

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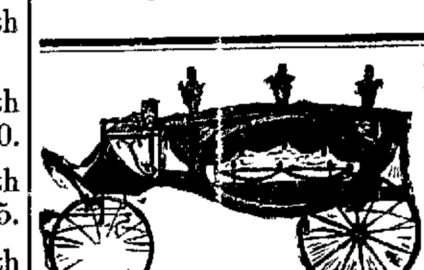

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery. To June Term A. D. 1888.

Louisa DeFratus vs. Susan Hennessey et al—In Partition No. 13063.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered at the June Term, A. D. 1888, by the said Court in the above entitled cause, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon County, Illinois, will at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on

Wednesday, the 1st Day of August, A. D. 1888,

at the west door of the Court House in said Macon county, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, provided a bid equal to the two-thirds valuation is received, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. eleven (11), in Block No. ten (10), in the Railroad Addition to the Town of Maroa, appraised at $100 00; also the north half of lot No. two (2), containing five acres more or less, appraised at $325.00, and lot No. three (3), containing five acres more or less, appraised at $175 00—said ten acres of land being in the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section eighteen (18), town 15 north, range two east of the Third P. M., in Macon county, Ill.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash in hand; balance in two equal instalments, due in one and two years with six per cent. interest on deferred payments. Deed is to be made on the approval of sale.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this Third day of July, A. D. 1888.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon Co., Ill.
DAVID HUTCHINSON, Complainants' Solicitor.
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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery. To June Term, A. D. 1888.

Hattie J. Gault et al., Ex parte, in Partition. No. 13143

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered at the June Term, A. D. 1888, by the said Court in the above entitled cause I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon County, Illinois, will at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25th, 1888,

at the west outside door of the Court House in said Macon County, sell, at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot six (6) of the resurvey of lots fourteen (14) and fifteen (15), of block six (6) of the original survey of the Town of Maroa. Said lot is appraised at $400, and no sale can be made for less than two-thirds of said amount.

TERMS—Cash. Deed to be executed to purchaser on approval of sale.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 28th day of June, A. D. 1888.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon County, Illinois.
W. C. OUTTEN, Complainant's Solicitor.
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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Richard H. Piper, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of Richard H. Piper, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, 1888, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this [illegible] day of July [illegible].

WILLIAM J. [illegible]NOWETH, Executor.

By [illegible]

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter

SATURDAY EVE., JULY 21, 1888.

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President,
BENJAMIN HARRISON of Indiana
For Vice President
LEVI P MORTON, of New York

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
JOSEPH W FIFER, of McLean County
For Lieutenant Governor,
LYMAN B. RAY of Grundy County
For Secretary of State,
I N PEARSON, of McDonough County
For State Treasurer,
CHARLES BECKER, of St Clair County
For State Auditor,
C W PAVEY, of Jefferson County
For Attorney General,
GEORGE HUNT, of Edgar County
For Trustees of State University,
ALEX McLEAN, J M McKAY, O A HARKER and S A BULLARD
For Congress,
JONATHAN H ROWELL of McLean County
Member of the Board of Equalization,
WILLIAM O JONES, of Logan County

THE Democratic managers are finding out now that times are a good deal like they were befo' do wah, in one respect at least—"niggers" come high but they've got to have some.

MELVILLE W. FULLER was yesterday confirmed by the Senate as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The vote was 41 yeas to 20 nays, both the Illinois Senators voting for confirmation. The other Republicans who voted for confirmation were Cameron, Davis, Frye, Hale, Jones of Nevada, Mitchell, Quay and Riddleberger.

THE "dirty niggers" don't seem to be so offensive to the Democrats as they used to be in the times when the universal opinion of the party was that they were not fit for freedom, let alone citizenship And, strange to say, there are some scattering colored men who are willing to associate with them on terms of political equality Surprises will never cease.

OF course, a colored man has a right to be a Democrat, provided he can stand the association and there is much to be said in apology for the weakness of some men's minds and appetites, but what shall be said of the colored man who claims that his motive in joining the Democratic party is a desire to elevate his race? It requires not only venality but ignorance to excuse such a man.

GENERALLY speaking, the utmost cheapness is a desirable thing, but it is possible, nevertheless, to produce a condition in that respect which may really be an injury rather than a benefit. "I hold it to be true," Gen Harrison says, "that whenever the market price of an article is so low that the man or woman who makes it can not get a fair living out of the making of it, it is too cheap" That is the doctrine of the Republican party, and it is so simple that the humblest voter can readily comprehend it

WE have never before had two Presbyterians running against each other as competitors for the office of President of the United States President Cleveland is a Presbyterian, the son of a Presbyterian minister, and General Harrison is another Presbyterian, who has risen to the rank of elder in the Presbyterian church. Andrew Jackson was a Presbyterian, as was Buchanan Van Buren was of the Reformed Church, Taylor, Pierce and Arthur were Episcopalians; Gen. Garfield a Disciple, Gen Grant a Methodist, Hayes and Andrew Johnson Methodists, and Abraham Lincoln a devout non-sectarian.

THIS is the way the London *Globe* looks at the campaign

"As a rule the Presidential contest has little interest for the Old World On the present occasion, however, an issue is involved which closely concerns Europe, more particularly Great Britain Mr Cleveland has taken his stand on free trade, and although his party managers have considerably planed down his platform, he is universally recognized in the states as pledged to initiate a new departure in fiscal policy. Nor can there be any doubt that he would act up to this understanding were he elected.

"The central issue of the contest lies between the maintenance of the present fiscal system intact and its modification in the direction of free trade *And on that broad question Mr Cleveland's candidature naturally and necessarily carries English sympathy*."

And yet the Democrats are, of course, insisting that Cleveland is not at all a free trader

FREE TRADE VS. PROTECTION

A Nut for Workingmen to Crack.

The Earl of Dunraven, in an official report to the House of Lords, gives the result of an investigation into the condition of affairs among the tailors in the east end of London. He finds that a day's pay for men ranges from thirty-two to fifty cents, one trousers machinist in a very good week, earned $2 80 the average was $1 44 to $1 68 A woman engaged in making vests could make $1.20 a week, by working from 7 o'clock in the morning until midnight Women were found making knee pants for three cents a pair, earning $1 32 a week

The Earl said, in communicating the facts to the House of Lords "He believed that the conditions of the lives of these people were more deplorable than those of any body of workmen in any portion of the civilized or uncivilized world—infinitely worse, to his mind, than a state of absolute slavery. It was not strange that under such circumstances, as the report stated, women were driven on the streets, and the strongest men were killed outright in the course of eight or ten years. What a noble result of the nineteenth century, with all its science! The consequences of free competition, which political economists told them were so beneficial, was that men and women had to work eighteen hours a day for merely starvation wages, that women were driven to a life of dishonor as being less degraded than the horrible circumstances which attended a life of honest toil, and that the working life of a strong man was limited to eight or ten years."

Do the American laborers want to be brought to this condition by the abolition of protection?

DEATH IN THE FLOOD.

Ohio and West Virginia Visited by a Most Unprecedented Storm.

A Bridge at Wheeling Covered with Spectators Swept Away by the Floods.

Large Numbers of Lives Reported Lost —The Worst Not Known, but Better Reports Hoped For.

A Most Terrific Thunderstorm.

ST CLAIRSVILLE O, July 20—Last evening this place and vicinity were visited by a most terrific thunderstorm with violent winds, and a rainfall that eclipsed the average waterspout Grain fields were laid waste, the shocked wheat was swept away, and the growing corn is not to be seen The Bellaire & St Clairsville, and the St Clairsville & Northern railroads are almost entirely washed out The incoming train on the Baltimore & Ohio was stranded at Echo, and the trainmen and passengers, as best they could, escaped with their lives, the water, filled with drift, running to the headlight of the engine Several narrow escapes are reported, and it is feared that a number of lives have been lost At this hour it is impossible to estimate the loss but this place and vicinity are damaged no less than $100 000 A large number of passengers are known to be on the incoming trains and as no definite advices are obtainable there is great interest felt here

Went Down with the Bridge

WHEELING, W Va., July 20, 2 A M—It is still impossible to give the exact number of lives lost in the bridge disaster It is known that thirty or forty were on the structure when it went down, only eight have been seen since They were picked up by a tow-boat in the river Among the latter were Mr Myron Hubbard, who says that more than thirty went down Their names are unknown The crowd was on the bridge watching the flood below, when suddenly the wooden supports gave way and they were precipitated into the surging water They had been repeatedly warned of the danger, but only laughed at the fears of those who warned them A man named Keltz was washed away at Boggs Run, and he and his horse drowned

Four lives are lost at Elm Grove, five miles east

The names of the lost as far as known are as follows

Herman G Stanzell, owner of a dairy
Mrs Stanzell, mother of the former
Two children
Keltz a farmer

Modified Reports

WHEELING W Va, July 21—Reports from the flooded country district last night were somewhat modified as regards the loss of life Mrs Gaston and two young men named Bowman and Caullbell, of Triadelphia who were reported as drowned, this morning were found alive It is now generally believed that no lives were lost by the Baltimore & Ohio bridge disaster Fourteen persons are all that are known positively to be drowned and it is thought this will cover the number No more bodies of the Caldwell Run victims have been recovered Mrs Fay and her two daughters, and Mr Gaston, of Triadelphia, were buried last evening The loss in this county of stock fences, crops bridges, etc will reach $100,000 The street cars resumed running at nine o'clock last evening

The Lost and Saved

WHEELING W Va, July 20—There is no knowing yet how sadly Wheeling and vicinity suffered from yesterday's overwhelming a totally unprecedented storm The following is a list of those who have been rescued from the washed-out Baltimore & Ohio bridge

W S McDonald Chas Pierce, I G Dillon, W A Wilson, Myron Hubbard, Fiddle Ball I I Stein A Kleiner, Mr Madill, Geo Paul and an unknown man None of them are seriously injured and were rescued by boats and skiffs in the Ohio river The reports are conflicting regarding the number of persons on the bridge at the time of the disaster, most say about sixteen It is generally believed that not more than two or three were drowned, but no names can be given as yet

The names of persons drowned at Caldwell's Run are as follows

Wife and four children of Thomas Howley

Mrs Stanzell a widow her son Herman, aged twenty, a daughter two nieces, Anna and Alice Wigand of Millsburg, O, who were visiting, and a hired girl, name unknown

John Homan while attempting to rescue the Stanzell family, was also drowned

As yet but two bodies have been recovered—that of Mrs Stanzell and Alice Wigand

This morning reports from Elm Grove and Triadelphia, five and eight miles east on the Pittsburgh & Wheeling division of the Baltimore & Ohio road show great damage to property, and that at least eight lives were lost namely Jane Fay wife of Moses Fay, and two daughters

Alice and Belle young ladies of Triadelphia whose bodies were recovered in the drift just below the village

Wm Gaston and wife, old and well-known people Mrs Gaston's body was recovered this morning entangled with drift in a wire-fence at Elm Grove

Caull Bell, of Triadelphia, father of Police Officer Bell, of this city, was also drowned, and his body recovered this morning

Two young men named Bowman, living near Valley Grove were drowned and their bodies recovered this morning

Many horses, cattle and sheep were carried away and carcasses are strewed along the creek bank at every point It is estimated that there are about twenty five lives lost in this vicinity as the result of the flood

R. G. Dun & Co's Weekly Trade Review

NEW YORK, July 21—R G Dun & Co's weekly review of trade says

Crop prospects which are the basis of existing hopefulness in business continue good Reports from spring wheat regions are favorable especially from St Paul and Milwaukee and the increase in yield promises to compensate for a good part of the injury to winter wheat Harvesting of winter wheat so far indicates results fully equal to the later and better foreshadowing of the Agricultural Bureau Kansas reports excellent yield and the State estimate for Michigan is 15 000 000 bushels a decrease not greater than the annual review indicated Corn reports from all quarters are encouraging and the yield of oats promises to be very large though injury from rain is reported in Texas The same cause operates to balance the increase in the acreage of cotton in that State, but the prospect in the Mississippi valley is still fairly satisfactory On the whole, prospects favor a large agricultural yield, though important crops are not yet beyond danger The manufacturing outlook is a little better, though the prevailing spirit is still one of uncertainty and waiting The great strike at Pittsburgh has been practically terminated, and the demand for iron there is better, without change in price but it is not yet clear whether the cost of production can be readily adjusted to the state of the market The termination of the strike weakens bar iron at the East, and Southern No 1 pig is largely offered at $17 50 Rails are unchanged but the official statement shows sales by all mills for the first half of 1888 of 934 987 tons against 907 951 tons last year The coal business is more active and schedule prices are realized The copper production for the half year is put at 40 850 pounds a gain over last year of 3 000 pounds, but the visible supply abroad now 77 000 tons has increased 1 000 tons in June Lead is weaker and cotton print cloths the demand for cotton goods being irregular Wool does not improve and 108 qualities average a shade lower than June 15 The actual trade in progress though a little smaller than a year ago must be considered large for the season Clearings at all points still show some decrease but for the last week only 4 ¼ per cent in the aggregate and 2 per cent outside of New York compared with a year ago when transactions were very large for the season General improvement is noted at St Paul and in manufactories at Pittsburgh since the strike virtually ended In real estate at Omaha where $1 500 per front foot is paid in cash for a site for immediate improvement and in lumber and iron business at Detroit though flour milling there is depressed

Kansas City business men complain that discrimination in freights may take many millions in trade from that point but are working for its correction

A strike in the Lake Iron Company at Cleveland is expected to be settled soon

Business appears dull at most points however Congressional uncertainties affecting many branches of trade while in others the natural reaction from exceptional activity is still felt The transportation business is not in good shape Wars of rates do not cease and controversies about export rates and discriminations against particular cities multiply The reported earnings but slightly exceed those of a year ago on roads which report earliest and have a considerable increase of mileage and meanwhile operating expenses seem to have increased generally more than earnings Stocks were decidedly strong for some days but with large realizing have grown dull and weak again though still averaging $1 50 per share above prices of a week ago Nearly all branches of business are to some extent disturbed by the transportation troubles and the negotiation of securities for new roads is not rendered easy Money is everywhere in abundant supply for legitimate business and yet complaints of slow collections grow more frequent again especially in regions about Kansas City Galveston St Paul and Detroit

The treasury has taken in $1 900 000 more than it has paid out during the week and the exportation of $2 000 000 gold still remains unexplained foreign exchanges being below the shipping point Exports of merchandise for two weeks from New York have been 26 per cent below last year's which were exceptionally large and imports still show a slight increase The supply of money is so large however that the failure of the treasury to purchase any bonds of late excites no notice

Business failures during the last seven days number for the United States 211 Canada 11 total 2 8 failures as compared with 240 last week and 172 for the corresponding week of last year

HER LAST FLIRTATION

The Awful Fate of a Pretty Woman Who Deceived Her Husband and Went Boating with Another Man

NIAGARA FALLS N Y, July 20—Mrs P J Tully a young and handsome married woman lost her life last evening by going over the American falls Mrs Tully was twenty two years old, and came here with her husband from Macon Ga, a few months ago Unknown to her husband, she accepted an invitation to go out sailing with William H Barbour, whose mother keeps the Grand Trunk ticket office in the International Hotel

They started early, and had gone quite a distance up the river when, in making a tack Barbour let go the sail and the boat turned over Barbour is weak physically and Mrs Tully was badly frightened They drifted down the river toward the cataract, slowly getting nearer the upper rapids when their predicament was discovered by the crew of Sherman Jewett's yacht Hi tana, and a small boat was sent to the disabled sail boat

Barbour was rescued, but Mrs Tully let go from the capsized yacht, to which she had been clinging, and slipped down into the water Her hat was seen several hundred feet down the rapids, and at 6 15 p m her body almost lifeless passed under the Goat Island bridge going over the American falls a few seconds later Her husband left the bridge a few minutes before this having been there with his partner watching for her

Port au Prince in Ashes

NEW YORK July 21—Advices received from Port au Prince, Hayti, yesterday state that there has been a rebellion in Hayti at Solomon fomented by the bat Colonels Liegetemote and Mentgat A big fire broke out in the city on July 1 and in two hours one thousand houses were burned and thousands of people were rendered homeless The fire was discovered in the Senate building while the Senate was in session The efforts of the firemen to check the flames were futile and the fire burned until it exhausted itself The wind shifting from a land to a sea breeze drove the flames back onto the burning district thus saving the greater portion of the city Three days later another fire broke out, which burned until it licked the sea and died out The best part of the city is in ashes

The next night two men were shot for attempting to start another fire Armed soldiers have patrolled the streets every night since the first fire, with orders to shoot on the spot persons acting suspiciously The schooner Lizzie Lane, lying at anchor in the stream was crowded with people who were burned out and who went on board for safety During the first fire, a French gun-boat sent a company of sailors well armed to protect French subjects

An uprising occurred after the fire, but it was suppressed and quietness restored.

The Crystal Slipper

CHICAGO, July 21—Last night the last performance of "the Crystal Slipper" was witnessed by an audience which packed the Chicago Opera House to the doors All the performers were enthusiastically received and the performance of the piece was more than usually brilliant. The success of the piece is considered here as something phenomenal in theatrical circles the receipts having averaged, including matinees a little over one thousand dollars a performance

Killed By a Falling Derrick

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind July 21—In attempting to raise a derrick in Circle Park yesterday morning it fell to the ground, catching Abraham Jones and Elijah Middleton in the fall, instantly killing them Several others engaged upon the soldiers' monument narrowly escaped death.

FOREIGN NEWS.

A Member of Parliament Suspended for One Month for Unparliamentary Conduct.

An Urgent Whip from Parnell—The Czar of Russia and His Royal Guests.

Representatives of General Boulanger Drowned Out by Groans and Hisses—Dying.

England.

SUSPENDED FOR BREECH OF PRIVILEGE.

LONDON, July 21—In the House of Commons last night, Lord Randolph Churchill asked if Mr Conybeare was the author of a letter which appeared in the *Star* yesterday, denouncing the Speaker for supporting the motion to apply the cloture rule in the debate on the Bann Drainage bill "The letter," said Lord Randolph, "accused the Speaker of gross injustice to the minority in the House; of a breach of Parliamentary decorum, and nothing short of public scandal in assisting the government to suppress debate on a measure which handed to Irish landlords a half a million pounds of English money" Mr Conybeare admitted writing the letter Lord Randolph Churchill then moved that Mr Conybeare be suspended for the remainder of the session. The letter, he said, was a gross libel upon the Speaker, and was a grave and deliberate insult to the House

The Speaker said that the applying of a cloture was the act of the House He held an absolutely neutral position in the matter, and would leave the affair to the judgment of the House

Mr Gladstone said that the publication of the letter was distinctly a breach of privilege, therefore he supported the motion of Lord Randolph Churchill

Mr Sexton said that nothing seemed a breach of privilege when committed against an Irish member As the Irish members were unable to obtain redress for slanders uttered or written outside of Parliament, he thought it best to leave the English Parliament to settle the dispute among themselves [Laughter and derisive cheers from the Tories

The motion was adopted by a vote of 245 to 168

An amendment to the motion was afterwards adopted, which limited the suspension of Mr Conybeare to one month

HEAVY STORMS

LONDON July 21—Dispatches from the Continent report the prevalence of storms, with heavy rainfalls, doing considerable damage to crops In Spain many coasting vessels were lost There was a heavy cyclone in Rome, resulting in heavy damage to telegraph lines and other property

AN URGENT WHIP

LONDON, July 21—Mr Parnell has issued an urgent whip to the members of his party to be present in the House of Commons on Monday, when the question is to be taken on the bill for the appointment of a commission of judges to examine into the *Times'* charges against members of Parliament

Russia

THE CZAR AND HIS ROYAL GUEST

ST PETERSBURG, July 21—M De Giers, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, and General Von Schweinitz, the German Ambassador, and Colonel Von Villaume, the military attache of the German Embassy at St. Petersburg, were present at the meeting of Emperor William and the Czar Thursday During the voyage from Cronstadt to Peterhoff Emperor William conversed at length with M De Giers while the Czar talked with Count Herbert Bismarck, the German Minister of Foreign Affairs Afterward the two Emperors had a long talk together No toasts were offered at the state dinner given in honor of Emperor William at Peterhoff Emperor William afterward went for a drive with the Czarina and the Duke and Duchess Vladimir The whole Russian press are convinced that the meeting of the Emperors will inaugurate a new era of peace, and feel that now Russian interests will be considered The *Novoye Vremya* warmly welcomes the Emperor's visit, and congratulates Germany upon the success of her efforts to become a maritime power It hopes that the former relations between the two Empires will be restored

France.

THE CAMPAIGN IN ARDECNE

PARIS July 21—Friends who have made speeches in Ardecne in General Boulanger's behalf, have been received with great hostility When M Laguerre attempted to address a meeting his voice was drowned with groans and hisses General Boulanger is making rapid progress toward recovery Premier Floquet has gone to join President Carnot

DYING

PARIS, July 21—Ex-Premier Charles Duclerc is reported to be dying M Duclerc was born in 1812 and has served in a public capacity for many years

MANITOBA

Premier Greenway on the Present and Future Prospects of Manitoba

ST PAUL, Minn July 21—Premier Thomas Greenway and Attorney-General J Martin of Manitoba arrived in St Paul yesterday morning in company with Solicitor McNaught of the Northern Pacific railway, on their way to New York. Speaking of his mission to a *Dispatch* reporter Mr Greenway said

"We are on the way to meet General Manager Oakes of the Northern Pacific, to confer with him on matters relative to the construction and operation of railroads in Manitoba. There are matters respecting the Red River Valley railway, and also the extension of that line west to Portage La Prairie to connect with the Manitoba Northwestern railway This latter now taps the country lying North and West as far as the Big Saskatchewan river I expect the Red River Valley road will be completed some time in August. Twenty miles of track are already ironed, and all the grading is finished Manitoba has a brighter prospect before it now than it has ever had before The wheat crop and all cereals will be twenty-five per cent. greater than last year, giving us a surplus of wheat of about twenty million bushels I can not say what will be done in the matter of constructing the railway to Hudson's bay Messrs Onderdonk & Ross, the railroad contractors have made certain proposals to the government for its construction, and these are now under consideration I can not make any definite statement as to what will be done either in the Northern Pacific or the Hudson's Bay railway matter, until we return from New York"

Solicitor McNaught was asked to state what would be the action of the Northern Pacific in the matter of operating the Red River Valley road, and whether the company intended to purchase the road from the Manitoba Government. He stated that he was not at liberty to say any thing just now, but as to the statements published in the papers, both here and in Manitoba respecting the sale of the road, and respecting the freight rates, they were without foundation.

The Launch of the Charleston.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—The launching of the steel cruiser Charleston, the First Government vessel ever launched on the Pacific coast, which took place from the shipyards of the Union Iron Works, last evening, was witnessed by an immense crowd. Among the naval and army officers were General Howard and Commodore Belknap. Governor Waterman, Mayor Pond, the Federal and State officials, foreign consuls, and a number of newspaper representatives also witnessed the ceremonies. The ceremony was brief. When all was ready the artillery band struck up an inspiring air. Miss Alice Scott, daughter of Mr. Irving M. Scott, the manager of the Union Iron Works, broke a bottle of champagne over the bow of the vessel as it started from the ways and in a clear voice christened the new cruiser "Charleston," amid the booming of cannon, tooting of innumerable whistles and cheers of the assembled multitude. The vessel glided slowly into the stream. The launching was a success in every particular. The dimensions of the Charleston are: Length over all, 320 feet; length between perpendiculars, 300 feet; extreme breadth, 46 feet; depth, 34 feet; mean draft, 18¼ feet. No particular speed was stipulated for, but the engines are required to maintain a combined horse-power of 7,000 for four hours. It is expected that she will be able to maintain a speed of eighteen knots per hour.

BASE BALL.

Games Played Friday, July 20, 1888.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Philadelphia—New Yorks, 7 Philadelphias 0
Washington—Washingtons 2, Bostons 1
Detroit—Chicagos 2, Detroits, 1
Indianapolis—Pittsburghs, 4, Indianapolis, 6

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Cleveland—Baltimores 3, Clevelands, 2,
St Louis—Browns, 18, Kansas Citys, 5

WESTERN ASSOCIATION
Omaha—Omahas, 17 Sioux Citys, 13
Des Moines—Des Moines, 7, Kansas Citys, 5

Games To-Day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New Yorks at Philadelphia, Bostons at Washington, Pittsburghs at Indianapolis Detroits at Chicago

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
St. Louis at Louisville, Kansas Citys at Cincinnati, Athletics at Brooklyn, Baltimore at Cleveland.

A False Rumor

NEW YORK, July 21.—The dispatch from Carson City, Nev, stating that Mr. John Mackay had disposed of his cable to Mr Jay Gould for $11,000,000, is declared to be without foundation in cable and telegraphic circles in this city Mr G G. Ward, manager of the Commercial Cable Company, declared that the Mackay cable had not been sold "The representatives of Mr Gould and Mr Mackay," he said, "had conferred in relation to an abatement of the war of rates, an agreement had been reached, and a schedule of rates would be issued in a few days from Berne"

Dr Green, president of the Western Union, and Mr De Castro, of the cable company, also pronounced the statement contained in the dispatch false.

Signed the Decree.

NEW YORK, July 21.—In the United States Court yesterday Judge Wallace, on the application of United States Attorney Walker, signed the decree overruling the demurrer of the rector, church wardens, etc, of the Church of the Holy Trinity in the action brought against them by the United States The suit was brought by the United States under the Alien Contract law to exact the penalty for bringing Rev E Walpole Warren to this country from England to preach under contract. A judgment for $1,000, the full penalty, and costs will be entered immediately on behalf of the United States. The case will probably be appealed to the United States Supreme Court

Given Up for Lost.

MALDEN, Mass, July 21—The ship Farragut, with an assorted cargo valued at $120,000, from Calcutta for New York, has been 185 days out, and is given up for lost, and her crew of twenty-two Boston seamen, under command of Captain Richard F. Hardwick, of Malden, are believed to have perished, together with the Captain's wife and daughter Mrs Hardwick was a daughter of Captain J M Hill, and was herself a thorough navigator

Exceeds Any Thing Yet Struck

CLEVELAND, O., July 21.—A special from Findlay, O, says that great excitement rages again in the oil territory in that vicinity by the discovery of an oil well that exceeds any thing yet struck It is estimated that the flow at present is from seven to ten thousand barrels per day The well will probably produce three thousand barrels when the first pressure is off Another well on the same farm yields a thousand barrels daily.

Collided In a Tunnel.

WILKESBARRE, Pa, July 21—Early yesterday morning a collision occurred between a coal train and the New York fast freight in a tunnel in the mountains near Whitehaven, on the Lehigh Not much information can be gotten, but it is known that one conductor was killed, and five train hands badly injured Both engines are badly wrecked, and a number of freight cars smashed to splinters

California's Population.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 21.—The population of California at the present time is placed at over a million and a half by the State Gazetteer for 1888, just issued. The official census of 1880 placed the population at about half that number.

Hanged

MONTICELLO, N Y, July 21—Jack Allen was hanged here at 11 47 a. m yesterday for the murder of Ursula Ulrich, an aged German widow, in Jeffersonville, Sullivan County, on October 8, last.

Allen Was Defeated.

NEW YORK, July 21.—John Allen, of California, and Tom Green, of Brooklyn, fought fourteen rounds at Rockaway Beach, yesterday morning. Allen was defeated.

Died of Dropsy.

CINCINNATI, July 21—General Thos. L. Young died at three o'clock yesterday afternoon of dropsy. He was fifty-three years old.

Death of E. P. Roe, the Novelist.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., July 20.—Rev. E. P. Roe, novelist, and author of "Barriers Burned Away," "Opening of A Chestnut Burr," and dozens of other popular works, died suddenly at his home in Cornwall last night at half past ten o'clock, of neuralgia of the heart. He had been in the best of health and the attack and death were simultaneous

Declined the Honor.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 20—The position of assistant secretary of the National Republican committee has been offered to Joel P. Heatwole, present secretary of the State committee and editor of the Northfield *News* He has been obliged to decline for business reasons, and some other Minnesota man will be selected.

The Indian Commission at Standing Rock.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn, July 20—A Bismarck (Dak) special to the *Journal* says: All the Indian Commission, with the exception of Judge Wright, of Tennessee, left for Standing Rock agency this morning and will hold their first conference with the Indians to-morrow

A Murdered Man Identified

NEW YORK, July 20—The man found murdered at Westfield, N J several days ago, was identified yesterday as Edward Miller, recently coachman for John F. Lawrence, a wealthy New York business man residing at Westfield It is supposed by the authorities that Miller was murdered for his money

A Big Lumber Fire.

MUSKEGON, Mich, July 20—Fire in the lumber piles on the docks of Montgomery, Champaign & Co, at Lakeside, yesterday afternoon, destroyed about three million feet. A large proportion of this was choice stock, and the loss can not fall short of $60,000, about half of which amount is covered by insurance

Another Arrest.

BROOKLYN, N Y, July 20—John S. Mars, another of the men implicated in the alleged frauds in connection with the contracts for teas and other articles in the Brooklyn navy yard, was arrested late last night, and is said to have made rather an important statement which can not yet be made public

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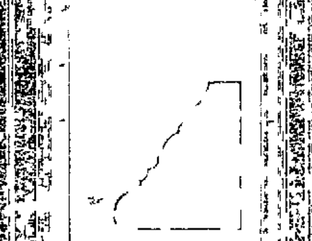

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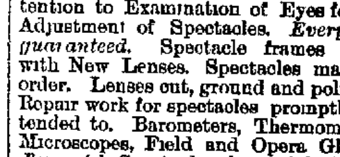

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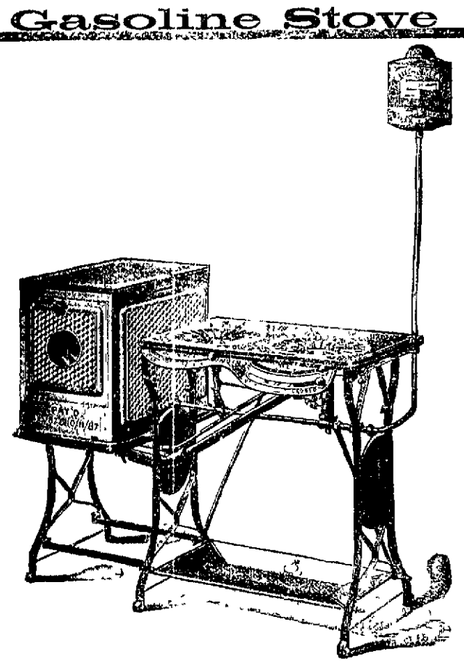

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There are no Thumb Screws to turn to confuse people. The Patent Lever Valve is a "dead open and shut." When pushed over to the word "Open," it is open; when it is pushed to the word "Closed," it is closed, and no mistake. That is all there is to it. No one can use it wrong. EXAMINE THIS STOVE BEFORE YOU BUY.

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SATURDAY EVE., JULY 21, 1888.

LOCAL NEWS.

PICNIC TABLES—something new—at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

"STICK'EM" Fly Paper at Irwin's.

GUESS what "See the Decatur" means.

SPECTACLES made to order at Dr. Hubbells.' 1t

BIBLE SOCIETY meeting Sunday evening at the First M. E. church, President Wells in the chair.

FAMILY groceries and fruits to suit you at Moore Bros.' store in Opera block.

JOHN STICKEL has bought the automatic cistern cleaner right for this section. It is a good thing.

IT will pay you to deal with Hanks & Patterson, the energetic grocers. Goods delivered to any part of the city.

PRESCRIPTIONS for Spectacles furnished free to all patrons, at Dr. Hubbell's. 1t

REGULAR meeting of the Young Men's Republican Club Tuesday night.

ORDER the White Foam flour. It is made by Hatfield & Co. and is sold by all leading grocers.

DON'T forget Knode & Osborne for choice table supplies and fruits.

SUNDAY will be the biggest day of the camp-meeting with Geo. W. Bain as the principal speaker.

USE the always reliable White Foam and Domestic flour.

THE report that the police had captured Peter Harris is incorrect. He is in hiding somewhere near the city. Yesterday a lowd woman reported to the police that Pete had robbed her of 45 cents.

MRS. T. T. Roberts and daughter are in Chicago.

TOURISTS' SPECTACLES, beautiful tints, delicate shadings, at Dr. Hubbell's. 1t

NOW is the time to buy your Plums cheap, for preserves and plum butter. Heilman & Son receive large quantities daily. 21-2d

DAVID GARVER paid us a call this morning and exhibited a lemon taken from a tree in Mrs. A. N. Diehl's lot on East Prairie street. It weighs half a pound.

STEP in at J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store in opera block and order supplies for the table, fruits, vegetables and Vienna bread.

SEE the new stock of fine Thermometers at Dr. Hubbell's. 1t

A NEW $2,000 residence is being erected by Ruth L. Ashbrook at the corner of West Decatur and Monroe street. It is a dwelling of 7 rooms.

THOSE Palace King furnaces sold by Lytle & Eckels ought to go into every new house in the city.

JOSEPH KINDER was slightly injured last night by an accidental fall off a Wabash car. Dr. Harsha attended him. Kinder is a night switchman.

TELEPHONE to Niedermeyer, the Mound grocer, for family supplies.

THE colored folks of Danville have about completed arrangements for a big camp meeting, to be held at the fair grounds, commencing July 25th. An Indian preacher, who has had success wherever he has gone, will be there.

STOP at C. B. Prescott's music parlor and select a suitable piano gift for your wife or daughter.

THE city council visited the water works to witness the test of the new boilers put in place by a Peoria firm.

GUESS what "See the Decatur" means.

RUSSELL, the Fortune Teller, is stall at the Brown House, 318 East Main street, Room 11. 16-6*

TOILET POWDER, in variety, at Irwin's

Special Bargains for a Week

in Boots and Shoes, to make room for our fall stock that is arriving every day. Don't buy until you see me and get prices. Old stand of J. H. Black & Son. July 20-d1w

TRUNKS delivered to any place in the city—15 cents. 10-Cent Package Delivery. Telephone 314. Office 229 North Water St. june27-d1mo

ICE! ICE!—Ice delivered to any part of the city. Telephone 176 for ice.
may19-dtf T. L. ANTRIM.

Lost.

On Friday, a lady's gold watch, small beaded chain with locket attached, somewhere between Marietta and Cerro Gordo streets, or on Marietta between Water and Broadway. Liberal reward will be paid for the return of the watch to W. L. Ferguson, at street car stable. 17-d6

MEDICINE GLASSES, 10 cents, at Irwin's

County League Organization.

Representatives from the various Republican clubs of Macon county are hereby requested to meet in the city of Decatur on Tuesday, July 31st, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of organizing a REPUBLICAN LEAGUE OF MACON COUNTY. Each club shall be represented by its president and three delegates to be selected by the club—four in all. If any voting precinct has no club organization a meeting should be called at once to organize a club and select delegates to the meeting for the organization of a County League. Every Republican voter in the county should be enrolled as a member of some club. A grand excursion of Macon county Republicans is being arranged to go to Indianapolis, Ind., early in August to pay their respects to "Young Tippecanoe," the next President of the United States. Let every district be fully organized and send a rousing delegation on this occasion.

GEO. R. STEELE,
Member Ex. Com. Republican League of Illinois for Macon Co.

A BIG REDUCTION in price on Hammocks this week, at H. Mueller & Sons, 138 Merchant street. 19-d6

Just Received.

Mid-Summer and Early Fall Styles of the celebrated Dunlap Hat—the nobby hat of the season. Call and secure one at BERMAN'S.
july16-d6

The Union Veteran Club.

Over 50 members of the Union Veteran Club met at Republican headquarters in Gallagher Block, last night, and had a very interesting meeting. President G. R. Steele was in the chair, and Secretary C. M. Imboden was the scribe. The following names were added to the roll, making a total of over 98: Tom Peniwell, C. P. Westbrook, R. Coble, J. W. Pearson, J. T. Taylor, I. N. Osborn, M. B. Hall, A. N. Diehl, F. E. Piper, Fred. J. Smith, John Grass, sr., H. F. Dillehunt, T. J. Hughes, W. F. Martin and Charles M. Allison. After the object of the meeting was stated, R. P. Lytle, J. A. Barnes and George S. Durfee were named as delegates to the convention of July 31, when a county league of clubs will be organized. Friday evening was selected as the regular night of meeting for the Veteran Club at Republican headquarters. I. N. Osborne presented the club with a handsome picture of General Harrison, the next president, and received a vote of thanks. On motion J. A. Barnes, R. P. Lytle, George S. Durfee, I. N. Martin and H. F. May were appointed a committee on uniform. The soldier boys will march again.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All parties having portraits and flags suitable for decorating Republican headquarters are requested to leave their addresses at this office. The committee will call and receive the donations.

A number of young men are anxious to form a martial band to supply music for the Union Veteran Club. Two snare drums, a bass drum and a band of Fifers would make things lively during the campaign. "Are you ready? Let her go!"

PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. T. W. Pinkerton will leave for Kentucky in a few days on a vacation.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wilson, July 20, a daughter.

F. B. Mueller will visit Terre Haute to-morrow, going over on the excursion train.

R. B. Clary will start out Monday with a full line of notions for a New York house and will visit the trade.

David Levy left last evening for Eureka, Kansas, accompanied by his son, Walter.

Mrs. Joe R. Burres and son, Guy, returned last night from a six weeks visit at Tuscola.

Miss Marie Shellabarger is at Peoria, the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. B. Hillman.

Miss Martha Bachrach, of Chicago, is the guest of her uncle, C. H. Bachrach, and family on West Wood street.

John Ullrich has arrived safely on the other side of the ocean. He will enjoy a trip through Germany.

Mrs. Wilderman and daughters, of Belleville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Park.

Mrs. J. B. Wamsley, of Tuscola, is in the city visiting her daughters, Mrs. W. W. Dunnigan and Mrs. Joe R. Burres.

Moses Stafford is at Boston to bid farewell to his wife and daughters, who will sail for Europe in a few days to be absent a year.

E. E. French, representing the pressed brick company of St. Louis, arrived in the city last night. His firm will supply W. H. Linn with 70,000 pressed brick.

Misses Florence and Alice Bemis, of St. Louis, departed for Chicago last night. They have been visiting D. S. Shellabarger and family.

Editor Hendricks, of the Niantic *Observer*, was in the city to-day. He is here to pitch for the typos in the game of the Printers vs. Cigarmakers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cherrier, of Quebec, Canada, are at Lincoln, Neb., where they will soon publish a city directory for that town.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Spencer at Bloomington, July 20th, a son. Grandpa Jason Rogers is receiving congratulations from political and personal friends.

L. A. Johnson is in the city. Aus. is representing the firm of S. Rothkoph & Son, of New York, importers of dry goods. He is looking well, and is a strong Harrison man.

Maroa *Times*: Benjamin Miller is negotiating for the 160 acre farm of Mrs. Mary Jones, two miles south of town, and the trade will probably be consummated in a few days.

Elder Forncrook will spend next Sunday at Lanark, Ill., where he served the Church of God four years prior to his coming to this place. There will be no service at the Bethel except Sunday school at 2 p. m.

Prof. Samuel Dickie, of Albion, Mich., chairman of the National Prohibition committee, was a guest at the Hotel Brunswick while in the city. He left for Chicago on the cannon ball train this morning.

Charley Armstrong, who travels extensively through Illinois for a St. Louis wholesale shoe house, says merchants buy freely in anticipation of the big crops. He says the state never had a finer prospect for an enormous yield of corn than at present.

William Dodson, the veteran depot mail clerk, will take a vacation of a month on August 1st, and go to Spokane Falls to visit his son George, who is in the jewelry business there. Mr. Dodson, whose genial presence at the depot has been familiar to our citizens and the traveling public for over 30 years, well deserves a vacation and he will enjoy it thoroughly. Lee Hall will attend to the transfer of mail in Mr. Dodson's absence. Mrs. Dodson and daughter, Miss Daisy, will accompany Mr. D. to the Pacific Coast.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Service at 10 30 a. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 2 p. m. No evening service. Mission Sunday school, at 2 p. m., corner of N. College and Packard Sts. Preaching after the Sunday school hour. All cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services as follows: Preaching by the pastor, T. W. Pinkerton, at 10:30 a. m. No evening service. Morning subject: "Not Meat and Drink." Sunday school at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited.

ENG. EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Rev. H. L. McMurray, of Lewisburg, O., will preach at this church at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. All are invited.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

General class at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor; subject, "Relations of Character and Destiny." Sunday school at 2 p. m. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Bible Society meeting at 7:30 p. m., sermon by Rev. T. W. Pinkerton.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Rev. Sophie Gibb, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning subject, "Divine Justice Always Brings Salvation." No evening service.

STAPP'S CHAPEL M. E CHURCH.

Class at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m., subject, "Power of a Righteous Minority." Sunday school 2 p. m. Mission Sunday school, corner N. Broadway and Herkimer sts., at 9 a. m. No evening service because of union services at the First M. E. church. All are welcome.

Y. M. C. A.

Jail service at 9 o'clock a. m. People's song and praise service at 4 p. m. J. E. W. Green will present "The Power and Influence of Christian Character." Don't forget to come.

Good Averages.

From the Niantic *Observer* we take the following wheat items:

William Pritchett had 15 acres of wheat that averaged 40 bushels to the acre.

Thos. Roberts had 35 acres of wheat which measured 900 bushels by machine measure.

T. W. Waddell threshed 60 acres of wheat on Wednesday. It will average 35 bushels.

Martin Corbett has 70 acres of wheat on his farm two miles north of Niantic. It will average 30 bushels.

Richard Dingman put in 80 acres at his farm two miles south of Niantic. The wheat will probably average 25 bushels.

Charles Connaghan has about 35 acres, and it will average 30 bushels per acre.

S. P. Davis has 30 acres. It will average 25 bushels to the acre.

Henry Wacker has 40 acres which will average 30 bushels.

J. T. Ward, living four miles southeast of Niantic, had 15 acres which measured 598 bushels.

The Moon Eclipse.

A total eclipse of the moon will occur next Sunday night. It will begin at 10:20 o'clock and end at 2 o'clock, the maximum totality being at midnight. There will be no special features of interest connected therewith, as it is merely the recurrence of the eclipse that is visible from this earth at the end of every eighteen years and ten days. The earth's shadow at the moon is 6,000 miles in diameter, coming to an apex and forming a conical mass of darkness at a distance of 850,000 miles. A lunar eclipse is of little importance in astronomical circles, as it affords no basis for valuable calculation as does a solar eclipse, and the one on Sunday night, as do all others, only affords a sight that goes no further than to satisfy curiosity.

THE late shoot of the Decatur shooting club was largely attended and there was a creditable display of marksmanship. The Woody brothers, of Tuscola, and Messrs. Shick, Jenner and Fowler, of Mt. Pulaski, gave the local sports pointers in the art of shooting.

A. F. GEPHART'S smoke-house on North Water street caught fire last night, calling out the department. The fire was put out with slight damage before the firemen could reach the premises.

Base Ball.

Decatur vs. Pana Meteors at the park Sunday afternoon.

At Pana yesterday afternoon the Decatur Reds defeated the Meteors 14 to 4. The Decatur players were Flynn and Callender, battery; Hays 1st, Smith 2d, Devore 3d, Conley short, Simpson, O'Brien and Glazebrook fielders.

In the rubber game at the ball park last evening in four innings the Linn & Scruggs club defeated the Hardware nine 6 to 1, and are now the champions. But there is woe among the hardware boys. Charley Barnett, who is a Democrat, says Eugene Pratt, who was the umpire, hoodooed the whole business simply as he says because there were more Democrats in the dry goods team. Charley alleges that the decisions were the rankest he ever saw and were enough to justify the instant execution of Pratt; but fortunately better judgment prevailed and the Democratic editor is permitted to survive; but he will never be permitted to umpire another game for the Hardware nine.

Cheap Excursion to Niagara Falls.

The promised CHEAP EXCURSION to Niagara Falls over the Wabash Railway, will leave by special train, Tuesday, August 14, via Toledo and the Michigan Central Railroad. The round trip rate from Decatur Station will be only $7.00 Tickets will be good going on special train of August 14th, to return at any time within five days after day of sale. A special return train will also be run, leaving Niagara Falls at 9 p. m on August 16th. Ample time is thus afforded, with privilege of returning at any time within the five days limit. The splendid train service of the Wabash will make the trip one of continuous enjoyment. Information as to time of the special train, Sleeping Car accommodations, etc., can be obtained of any ticket agent of the Wabash, or by addressing H K GREGORY, Traveling Passenger and Excursion Agent, Danville, Ill july21

Good-Bye, Bandannas, Good-Bye.

O, Democrats, hear the trumpet blow,
Good bye, free-traders, good-bye!
Pack up your grips, it's time to go,
Good bye, free-traders, good bye!
Protection is the people's wealth,
Good bye, free traders good bye!
And we shall guard the Nation's health,
Good bye, free-traders, good-bye!

CHORUS—Bye, Cleveland, bye O!
Bye, Thurman, bye O!
Home and prosperity!
Old British free traders, good bye!

The flag is floating in the breeze,
Good-bye, bandanna, good-bye!
The stars and stripes will better please,
Good bye, bandanna, good bye!
We'll nail our banner to the mast,
Good-bye, bandanna, good-bye!
Your old red rag won't stand the blast,
Good-bye, bandanna, good-bye!

CHORUS—Bye, Cleveland, bye O!
Bye, Thurman, bye O!
Wave, flag of loyalty!
Old red bandanna, good-bye!

Old Indiana names the man,
Good-bye, dear Grover, good-bye!
Come here and beat him, if you can,
Good-bye, dear Grover, good-bye!
Ben Harrison is the man to win,
Good-bye, dear Grover, good bye!
In Morton he will meet his fate,
Good-bye, Old Roman, good-bye!
Our Soldier Ben the land will sweep,
Good-bye, Old Roman, good-bye!
November leaves shall bury you deep,
Good-bye, Old Roman, good-bye!

CHORUS—Bye, Cleveland, bye O!
Bye, Thurman, bye O!
Harrison and victory!
Old Red Bandanna, good-bye!

—*Richard Lew Dawson.*

FRED J. SMITH, who was a boy of 16 during the Tippecanoe campaign of 1840, made numerous protection speeches in Union county, Ohio. He is in trim for speeches in 1888, and will vote for Ben. Harrison.

THE funeral of Calvin T. Williams took place at Maroa on Friday afternoon. He was aged 77 years, 5 months and 24 days. Mr. Williams was a veteran of the Black Hawk war and had lived in this county 24 years. He had been an invalid for many years, and a portion of the time a great sufferer.

OUTDOOR Photo work; guaranteed. HENDERSON. Tel. 7. [June 26-d2m

FOR RENT—a first-class office, front room, second floor, new building on North Main street; consultation room attached. Apply to F. W. Haines.

TELEPHONE 444 for 10c package delivery, or Western Union. Trunk to any part of the city, 15c. july6-dtf

A BIG Hammock Sale for the next 10 days, at H. MUELLER & SONS,
19-d6 138 Merchant st.

DURING the entire season George W. Ehrhart & Co., commission merchants, will receive direct from the growers, two carloads of watermelons every week, in order to supply the trade in Decatur and vicinity. Send in your orders. 20-d6

WE heard a young man remark that Barber & Baker had the nicest shoes in the city. Go and see them. 13-dtf

The Cold Water Meeting.

The prohibition camp meeting is paying Manager Smith so well that he has decided to continue it another week instead of shutting up shop Sunday evening as was at first announced. Yesterday afternoon Mr. L. C. Pitner addressed the crowd, and at night Prof. Dickie occupied the platform. Geo. W. Bain, of Kentucky, will be the speaker on Sunday, the usual 10 cents being charged at the gate. It is expected that Dr. Brooks, of Missouri, the ex-confederate nominee for vice president on the prohibition ticket will be one of the speakers next week.

A number of the College boys are on the camp meeting program this afternoon. To-night C. H. St. John will deliver an address on "Individual Responsibility." Mrs. St. John will preach to-morrow at eleven. Geo. W. Bain will speak at two and perhaps at night. It is settled that Dr. John A. Brooks, candidate for Vice President, will speak at the Park next Thursday afternoon.

THE wife of the Hon. John B. Ricks and mother of the Hon. James B. Ricks of Washington, died at Taylorville Thursday evening. She was among the earliliest settlers of Sangamon and Christian counties, and was well known among the earlier politicians as a woman of great character and influence.

Sales of Real Estate.

John K. Warren and B. K. Durfee to Henry A. Wood, lot 9, Warren & Co.'s 7th addition, $450.

John K. Warren to George A. Ferguson, lot 10, Warren & Co.'s 5th addition, $390.

H. H. Wayland to Elizabeth Hirst, quit claim to lot 8 of subdivision of part of lot 16 in 15, 16, 2, $75.

John A. Brown to David Oxer, master's deed to lot 3, block 10, Railroad addition to Maroa, $470.38.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Macon County Bible Society will be held in the First M. E. church of this city on Sunday evening, July 22, 1888, at 7:30 o'clock, W. T. Wells presiding.

PROGRAMME.

Singing . . . . . Doxology
Lord's Prayer . . . . Led by Rev. W. H Prestley
Hymn. . . . . Read by Rev. J. C. Fornerook
Reading of Scriptures . . . By Rev A. K. Hall
Prayer . . . . . By Rev. James Miller

ANTHEM.

Sermon . . . . . By Rev. T. W. Pinkerton
Prayer . . . . . By Rev. G E. Scrimger
Reports of Secretary and Treasurer
Hymn . . . . . Read by Rev. J. W. Boggess
Benediction.

Sold His Home.

Mr. D. C. Moffitt has sold his residence property at the corner of West Macon and Monroe streets, frontage of 91 feet, fine dwelling of 7 rooms, for $3,000 cash. The purchaser is John W. Sanner, of Prairie Home, who will take possession in October and may engage in business here.

THE general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association extends hearty thanks for the beautiful bouquet of flowers received this morning "from a friend." His desire is that the Association had more such friends.

The Democrats.

They had a club meeting last night, and taxed the boys for a campaign fund of nearly $200, arranged to organize a drum corps and had the nerve to suggest forming a glee club to sing free trade with bandana variations. The bosses of the meeting were Will Snyder, Theo. Nelson, John Clugston, Charley Wagenseller and others. After every man and boy in the hall had been squeezed for a contribution, Tom C. Brown, a negro editor from Springfield, was presented to the club. He made a speech which was largely an apology for mixing with the democratic crowd, while at the rear one bourbon remarked, "Well, I'll be ——, are we to be chinned by a blanked nigger!" Had Tom heard that remark doubtless he would have cut short his language. Tom is making hay while the sun shines, and is rapidly visiting all the democratic clubs in this and other states, posing as a democratic negro freak, and getting all the dollars he can gather for his paper. Tom didn't make any votes among his race in Decatur. The simple fact that Tom was here hob-nobbing with the democrats was enough for them. All of them appear to know Tom, and as one colored man said on the square last night, "He pretends to be a democrat for the dollars he can get." H. C. Bradsby gave his views on the tariff question.

NOTICE!

Until August 15th all Merchant Tailor work will be reduced as follows:

All Suits Reduced $5.00 from former low prices.

All Pantaloonings Reduced $3.00 from former prices.

Take advantage of this cut, and have a suit made such as EHRMAN alone can turn out. [July 13-dtf

Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received up to and including July 28th, for tearing down all of the buildings and sheds at the Macon county fair grounds, except the building known as the Agricultural or Implement Hall. The lumber must be carefully taken down, classified and put in piles of one, two and three thousand feet each The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids to be left with J. A. Merriweather, at the Decatur National Bank.

J. W. BROWN,
W. H. ACUFF,
J. A. MERIWEATHER,
july20-d9t Committee.

GET the latest campaign badge—the Harrison and Morton revolver protection pin at J. L. Peake & Son's store on Merchant street. 16-d1w

FOR the Prohibition Party Rally to be held at Bloomington July 28th, the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from Decatur at $1.75 for the round trip, good going on the 28th and returning up to the 30th. 16-d1w

"FLASHLIGHT" Photos; very fine. GEO. A. HENDERSON. Tel. 7. [26-d2m

INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS; all sizes. Henderson; Tel. 7. June 26-d2m

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—82¾ July; 80⅛ Aug; 79⅝ Sep; 80⅛ Oct.

CORN—46⅞ July; 46⅞ Aug; 46⅛ Sep; 45¾ Oct.

OATS—30⅞ July; 25¾ Aug; 24⅝ Sep; 24⅞ Oct.

PORK—$13.62 Aug; $13.72 Sep; $13.57 Oct.

LARD—$8.42 Aug; $8.47 Sep; $8.52 Oct.

RIBS—$7.92 Aug; $8.00 Sep; $8.07 Oct.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 8,000; prospects slow.

Cattle, 4,000; prospects slow.

Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 29; Spring, 41. Corn, 227. Oats, 106.

THE RED FLAG!

We shall hoist the RED FLAG to-day, and this means that we shall sell goods at LESS THAN AUCTION PRICES until it is taken down.

We have no other reason for this than a determination to cut below any real or pretended quotations that may be made.

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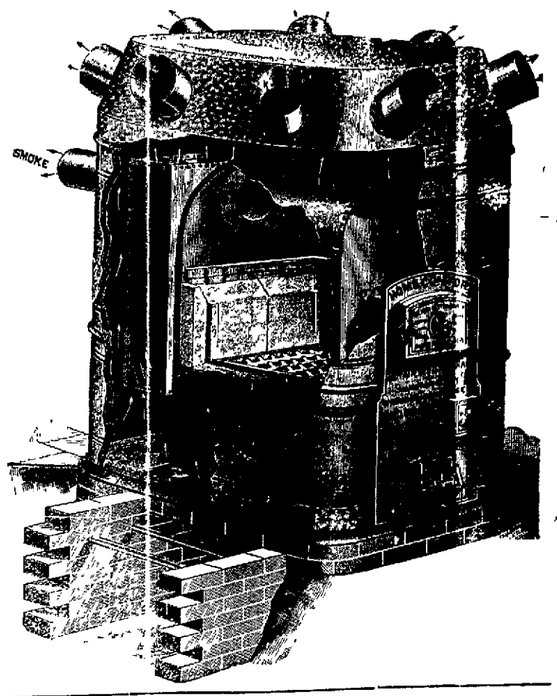

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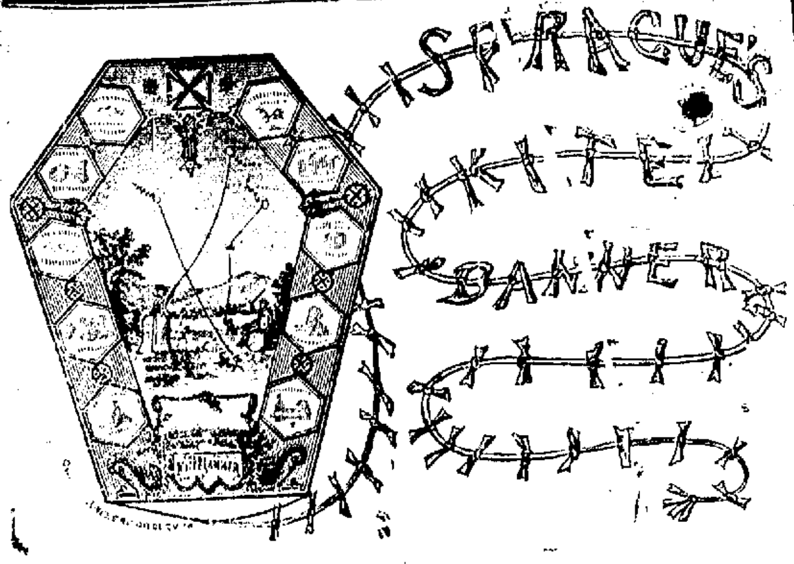

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—AT—

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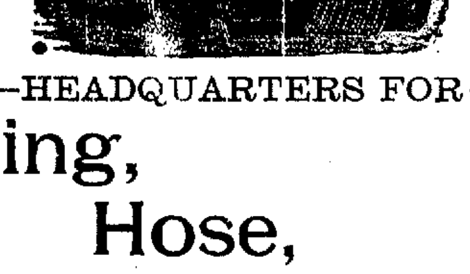

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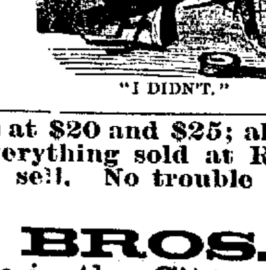

"I DIDN'T."

Call and see our Bed Room Suits at $20 and $25; also all Plush Parlor Suits at $25. Everything sold at Reduced Prices. We are bound to sell. No trouble to show goods. Give us a call.

BACHMAN BROS.,

Largest Furniture Store in the City,

240 ... ST MAIN STREET.

S.S.S. TRADE MARK

An Important Announcement

About six weeks ago, while at business, I was suddenly attacked with excruciating pains in my feet, knees and hands. So severe the attack that I took my bed immediately, and in two or three days my joints were swollen to almost double their natural size, and sleep was driven from me. After suffering the most excruciating pain for a week, using liniments and various other remedies, a friend who sympathized with my helpless condition, said to me:

"Why don't you get Swift's Specific and use it. I will guarantee a cure, and if it does not the medicine shall cost you nothing."

I at once secured the S. S. S., and after using it the first day, had a quiet night and refreshing sleep. In a week I felt greatly benefitted. In three weeks I could sit up and walk about the room, and after using six bottles I was out and able to go to business. Since then I have been regularly at my post of duty, and stand on my feet from nine to ten hours a day, and am entirely free from pain. These are the plain and simple facts in my case, and I will cheerfully answer all inquiries relative thereto, either in person or by mail.

THOMAS MARKILLIE,
11 W. 18th street, New York City.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—I have warded off a severe attack of rheumatism by a timely resort to Swift's Specific. In all cases where a permanent relief is sought this medicine commends itself for a constitutional treatment that thoroughly eradicates the seeds of disease from the system.

REV. W. P. HARRISON, D. D.

NEW YORK, 51 7TH AVE.—After spending $200 to be relieved of Blood Poison without any benefit, a few bottles of Swift's Specific worked a perfect cure.

C. PORTER.

VIENNA, GA.—My little girl, aged six, and boy, aged four years, had scrofula in the worst aggravated shape. They were puny and sickly. To-day they are healthy and robust, all the result of taking S. S. S.

JOE T. COLLIER.

LADY LAKE, SUMTER CO., FLA.—Your S. S. S. has proved a wonderful success in my case. The cancer on my face, no doubt, would have soon hurried me to my grave. I do think it is wonderful, and has no equal.

B. H. BYRD, Postmaster.

WACO, TEXAS, May 9, 1888.

S. S. Co., Atlanta, Ga.:

Gentlemen—Knowing that you appreciate voluntary testimonials, we take pleasure in stating that one of our lady customers has regained her health by the use of four large bottles of your great remedy, after having been an invalid for several years. Her trouble was extreme debility, caused by a disease peculiar to her sex. WILLIS & CO., Druggists.

Three books mailed free on application. All druggists sell S. S. S.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,
Drawer 3, Atlanta Ga.
New York, 756 Broadway.

NOTICE.

Public Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern, that the Citizens' Street Railway Company, of Decatur, Illinois, on MONDAY, the Sixth day of August, A. D. 1888, at the regular place of meeting of the City Council of the city of Decatur, will present its petition to the said City Council for leave and permission to lay, construct, operate and maintain a certain line of Street or Horse Railway in said city, beginning at the intersection of Eldorado and Jasper streets, and continuing the line of railway hereafter to be constructed on East Eldorado street to the said intersection, eastward on East Eldorado street to its intersection with Stock street.

Public notice is hereby further given, that at the same time and place, the said Company will present a certain other petition for leave and permission to lay, construct, operate and maintain a certain line of Street or Horse Railway in said city as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Condit street, with North Water and running thence eastward on said Condit street to its intersection with Clinton street, thence northward on said Clinton street to its intersection with Edmond street, thence eastward on Edmond street to Jasper street. Said leave and permission in both petitions prayed to be for a term of twenty (20) years, and upon such terms and conditions as shall seem proper to said Council and as are sanctioned by law and for the best interests of the public.

Dated July 19th, A. D. 1888.

The CITIZENS' STREET R'Y CO.,
of Decatur, Illinois.
DAVID S. SHELLABARGER, Pres.
By JOHNS & RANDOLPH, Attorneys for the Company. july20-d10t

Sealed Bids.

Public Notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of East Eldorado street, from the east rail of the main track of the Illinois Central Railroad east to the city limits, by curbing, grading, graveling, guttering, and paving with brick according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1888, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Illinois, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 20th day of August, A. D. 1888, for the labor and for the materials for said improvement, and for the entire improvement, including labor and materials. A sample of brick to be used must be filed with bids. All bids when received will be submitted to the City Council for its action.

july20-dtd F. C. BETZER, City Clerk.

Kid Gloves.

Our glove department was never so complete, and prices never so low as at present; beginning with Jouvin kids at 50 cents, Alexander at 90 cents, embroidered and plain, that cannot be equaled for quality and price; Treville black and colored, embroidered and plain at $1.18, the best gloves in the market for the money; real 4-button kids, embroidered and plain, at $1.25, equal to any other at $1.50. Also the new Fourchette in Monsquetaire street gloves in all the new shades, embroidered and plain, at popular prices.

March 31-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Vehicles.

One would have to travel a long distance before finding a larger or more select stock of vehicles than that now at the Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s store rooms. There are handsome and serviceable buggies, road carts, phætons and spring wagons in various styles and makes, and no one could fail to be suited either in style or price. mar28-d&wtf

Extraordinary Bargains

Is the heading of a new advertisement of Linn & Scruggs in another part of this paper, and one patent fact in their announcements of this character is, that they always mean and do what they say. Those who wish to buy the best goods, at low prices, will find them at

april4-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Star Waists for Boys.

Best quality in White and Fancy, 90c; second quality, 70c; Indigo Blue, $1.00; at LINN & SCRUGGS.

d&w

PINGREE & SMITH'S make of Misses' Spring-heel Newports, reduced from $1.50 to $1.00; Children's same make, worth $1.35, reduced to 90c; Children's $1.25, sizes 5 to 7, worth $1.25, now 75c; The above are the best shoes in the market—a large lot, and we make the price to close out. POWERS & HAWORTH.

july13-dtf

THE largest and best selected stock of Farm Machinery, Field and Garden Seeds, Buggies, Road Carts, Spring Wagons, Farm Wagons, etc., etc., in Central Illinois, at Spencer & Lehman's, corner of Wood and Main streets. Everybody who intends buying goods in their line will find it for their interest to call and examine their stock before buying.

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MOREHOUSE, WELLS & CO. are constantly receiving new patterns, in Wood, Iron and Slate Mantels, Vestibule and Hearth Tiles, Fine Brass Fenders, Fire Sets, and everything pertaining to this one. No larger or more complete assortment can be found elsewhere. d&w

YOUNG MAN, you would think those new shoes at Barber & Baker's would sel for $7.00 or $8.00, but they sell them for $4.00 and $5.00. They also have a nice line of $2.00 and $3.00 shoes. a12-dtf

THE Bluegrass Shop will repaint your carriage or wagon cheaper than elsewhere. Remember this. Repairing promptly done. March 3-d&wtf

FOR style and neat appearance, those Kangaroo shoes at Barber & Baker's beats them all, and it does not cost a fortune to buy them, either. a12-dtf

LIGHT-WEIGHT Flannel Shirts, neatly made, perfect fits, elegant shades, well adapted for clerks, book-keepers and business men generally, at B. STINE'S.

HENRY BROS. make the largest loaves of home made bread of any in the city. bread delivered promptly anywhere it is desired. nov23-dtf

WE sell and warrant the celebrated Olds Wagons. BUSHERT & CARR, Apr 27-dtf 241 and 245 E. William st.

DID you see the little Gems at Cheap Charley's? d&w

THE Old Reliable Peter Schuttler and Moline Wagons for sale by Spencer & Lehman feb16-dawtf

THE lightest clothing house in town is Cheap Charley's. d&w

FISHING FOR WOLVES.

The Adventure of Three Irishmen in Wild Canadian Woods.

It was their fourth day in camp and they had not been disturbed by any thing unusal, but the night following the shooting of the deer was made dreadfully apprehensive by the howling of what seemed to them at least half a hundred half-famished wolves. They seemed to be concentrating toward a given point, and that was the spot where they had bled the buck. Their quick instincts did not deceive them. The voracious whelps came down from the woods in swarms, and their terrific snarlings and yelpings sent terror to the hearts of these three poor landlubber Irishmen. The weather being only moderately cold they had neglected to get together only a small amount of wood for their camp fires. There is nothing wolves are so afraid of as a blazing fire, and no matter how hungry they may be a pack will not attack a camp which is well lighted up on two or three sides of it. Hence experienced woodsmen always have in camp a good supply of pitch wood to be used as necessity may require. Our young Irishmen had neglected this precaution, while fortunately they had a large supply of ammunition, and what to them was more fortunate still, they had with them some hooks used by trappers of foxes, coons and other small game, as clogs to prevent them from making away with the traps. They had also a long and very tough rope. Dennis McGinty had suggested taking along these hooks as possibly useful in fishing. They were a cluster of three hooks welded together, making a tripod, with an iron ring into which could be attached a chain or rope, as the case seemed to require. So when the wolves entered the camp Patrick Ryan said to Dennis: "Dinnis, me boy, if you 'ave no objection I'll jist troy and kitch one o' them varmints wi' one o' your new-fangled fishhooks. I'll jist troy trollin' on the land, uv you plaze." So taking out his pocket-knife he cut out a liberal hunk of a cutlet from the haunch of the buck, and, after tying it securely to the triple hook, aimed it at what appeared to be the center of the pack, having first securely fastened the line to a sapling which stood at the camp door. In far less time than it requires me to tell the story the swaying of the bush told what was going on at the other end of the line. "Begorra," says Pat, "we've got a bite. Now, all hands togither and we'll haul in the catch. All togither; he-o ho! he-o ho! he-o! But don't he back water, tho'? He-o ho! We gain on him! All togither; but he's comin'. Howld on, be jabbers! What shall we do wi' him when we git him in?" Then the wit of Lafferty came in pat, as it always did on a pinch. Says he: "When we git 'im up so's the light will show me where to lodge a ball in the baste's profile, I'll do for 'im. Just pull in, bys, till you git 'im furninst the light, and I'll show 'im how not to attempt to capture a paddy-camp in time of profound peace, when ther's bin no declaration of war. He'o, ho! he'o! Howly Moses, there he comes," and such a terror of noises as came from the throat of that captured wolf sent consternation to the whole camp. But Lafferty was a good shot, and soon the trusty rifle had done its work, and the terrible beast lay dead at their feet. They were so well-pleased with upland fishing that they kept at it all night, and by daylight next morning they had a pile of nineteen wolves stacked in front of their camp.—*Cleveland Leader.*

AUSTRIA'S DIPLOMACY.

How It Has Frequently Managed to Triumph Over War.

There is no story in the history of the world more remarkable than that of Austria. It is the history of the triumph of diplomacy over war and yet of a diplomacy dependent always for its power on a certain kind of military strength. To us it seems that though undoubtedly the heterogeneous character of the monarchy, which has always weakened its armies, is more apparent on the surface than ever, yet that, in a contest with Russia which should take place a year or two hence, Austria would be practically stronger than she has been at any time in her history. The Austrian armies have probably sustained more defeats than any other troops in Europe, yet over and again she has become the decisive power, whose influence, thrown into the scale, has determined the issue of victorious war.

It was her union with the allies that proved fatal to Napoleon in 1813. Her unions with us during the campaigns of Marlborough is connected with some of the most glorious periods of our own military history. The power of recuperation which she has again and again shown after defeat has been marvelous. It is no doubt due to the fact that her population, almost entirely agricultural, has always furnished a vast supply of hardy, healthy soldiers; while the masses of her rural folk have, despite the socialism of the towns, been less disposed toward revolutionary changes than any others in Europe. Patriotism, except in Hungary, is no doubt difficult for the inhabitants of the agglomerated empire. It is hard to know toward what nation their patriotism should be felt. Nevertheless, the loyal of many races—the Tyrolese, for instance—and generally an attachment to the royal house, if it does not supply all the motive power which armies need, save Austria from many of the risks which some of her neighbors run.—*Blackwood's Magazine.*

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by John A. Swearingen. al

EXCURSION TO NIAGARA—WAIT FOR THE WABASH.

Those who intend visiting Niagara this summer, and those who can afford only a short and inexpensive "outing," will do well to wait for the Wabash Railway's cheap excursion to Niagara Falls, soon to take place. Nowhere else can so much of the grand and wonderful be so quickly seen as at this mighty cataract, and no other attractive resort is so readily accessible from this region. Rate and limit of tickets will be announced in a few days. 18d4t

UNTIL further notice the I. C. R. R. will sell excess baggage tickets at $10 each, being a reduction of 20 per cent. from former rates apr25-dtf

WHITE VESTS for barkeepers at B. Stine's. dtf

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. feb16-dawtf

IF you buy any clothing, inspect Cheap Charley's. d&w

WIZARD OIL

CURES Headache, Toothache, Earache, NEURALGIA, SORE THROAT, Catarrh, Croup, Frost Bites, Sore Nipples, Caked Breasts, Lame Back, **RHEUMATISM** Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Old Sores, &c. Sold by Druggists. 50c. and $1.00. HAMLIN'S BLOOD AND LIVER PILLS. Best in the World. Try Them. 25c. SONG BOOK MAILED FREE. Address WIZARD OIL CO., CHICAGO.

FOR PAIN

FOR RENT, FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

TO RENT—The modern brick dwelling, No. 441 North Water street, St. John's Place; gas, water, furnace and all modern improvements. Apply to L. BURROWS. july20-dtf

FOR RENT—A house at 165 West Washington street, four rooms and basement. Inquire at PLUMER & MEYER'S green grocery, north side city park. 20-d6*

COWS FOR SALE—Two good fresh cows, having calved the 17th and 18th of this month. Apply to W. T. DILLEHUNT. 19-d6*

FOR RENT—A house of four rooms and outside kitchen, cellar, well and cistern. Inquire at F. W. NIEDERMEYER'S grocery store on the mound. july10-d6

WANTED—An A No. 1 dining room girl at Combs' Restaurant, 139 South Water St. Enquire to-day. 16-d6

TO RENT—Rooms at "The Roby," furnished or unfurnished, without board. 12-d8*

WANTED—A good girl, to do general housework. Apply immediately at 531 West Prairie street. 10-d6*

Money to Loan,

In large or small sums, on real estate or personal property. Interest and commission reasonable. JOE R. BURRES, Att'y at Law. Office in Powers' New Building, Room 8, June28-d&w3mos 156 South Water Street.

FOR SALE—Good beds, $2.00; chairs, per set, $2.00. Bureaus, Lounges, Oil and other stoves at half price. Everything cheap at the Furniture and Stove Exchange, 248 E. Main, 1st door east of Bachman Bros. 9-dtf

ENGINE and Boiler for sale. For full particulars call upon H. MUELLER & SONS, 220 East Main St. jy3-d2w

WANTED—Agents at the "Iisituntilsuited" Art Studio. $15.00 per week and expenses paid to the right party. Call or address "Isituntilsuited" Art Studio, Decatur, Ill. mar31-d&wtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that I am pressing, coloring, bleaching all kinds of ladies' and children's straw hats, and satisfaction guaranteed, at No. 542 North Morgan St. july2-tf

RESTAURANT FOR SALE—Apply to A. C. Smith; reasonable terms. Apply at 759 Cerro Gordo St., Decatur, Ill. june19-dtf

Shoo Fly.

All kinds of Screen work done; will furnish wire cloth and repair old screens. Can give references of 500 customers using my Patent Screens. None but first-class work done; work not done by clerks and botches. Call at Shop—150 West Main street, 1st door east of fire house. I shall prosecute all persons infringing on my patent. This is my fifth year. Will contract building and carpenter work.

may7-d3mo W. W. SHOCKEY.

AWNINGS.—Cox & Chamberlain, mattress manufacturers, are now prepared to make and put up awnings on short notice at the lowest possible prices. Any style or quality desired. Give them a call at the mattress factory, 553 North Broadway. mar15-dtf

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent. interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, over New York Store. july 16d&wtf

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J. P.'s docket, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of John Finn, and against Michael Walsh and Margaret Walsh, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. three (3), in block number four (4), First (1st) Rolling Mill Addition to the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Michael Walsh and Margaret Walsh, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1888, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 5th day of July, A. D. 1888.

J. H. MAUZY,
july6-dtd Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of Alexander T. Hill, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Alexander T. Hill, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1888.

SARAH D. HILL,
july12-d3w Administratrix.

Dissolution Notice.

DECATUR, ILL., July 9, 1888.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of D. S. Shellabarger & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the above firm will please make prompt settlement of same with our successors, Shellabarger Mill & Elevator Company.

Thanking you for past patronage and soliciting a continuance of same with our successors, we subscribe ourselves,

Yours truly, D. S. SHELLABARGER.
WM. BOWERS.
J. B. SHELLABARGER.

july10-d10

GRANITE —AND— MARBLE.

W. H. GRINDOL,

At 268 E. Main St.

Keeps constantly on hand a large stock of SCOTCH AND AMERICAN GRANITE and MARBLE MONUMENTS, and a fine set of NEW DESIGNS to select from.

He will furnish you a First-Class Monument for Less Money than you can get any where.

Building Stone a Specialty.

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J. S. HUGHES

564 N. WATER STREET.

April 6—dtf

New Book Bindery

—AND—

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Magazines and all kinds of books bound and repaired.

Telephone Boxes made to order.

Names stamped in gold on books, pocket books, toilet cases, etc.

Numbering tickets, checks, etc.

HERMAN SPIES, Proprietor.

Oct. ...

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Save Your Ice by Buying One.

1, 2, 3, 4, —AND— 6 GALLONS.

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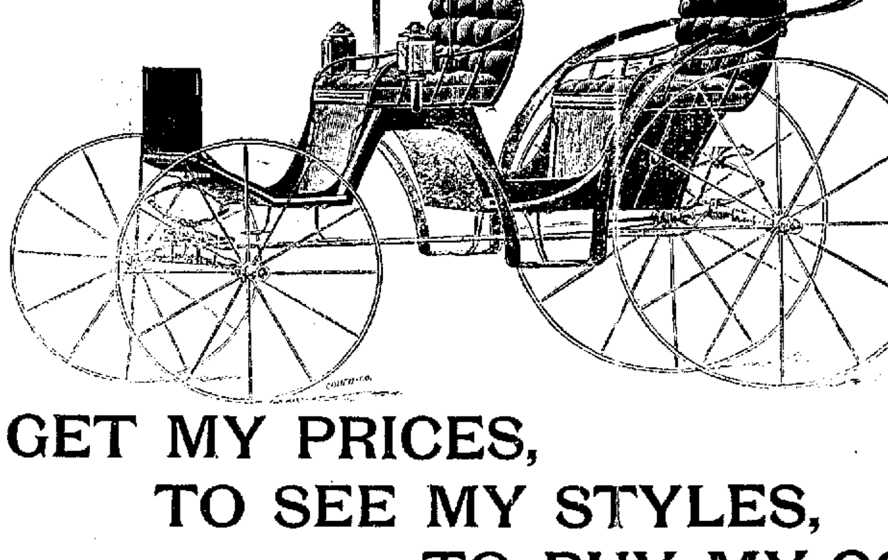

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Agent for Henney Buggy Co., of Freeport, Ill.

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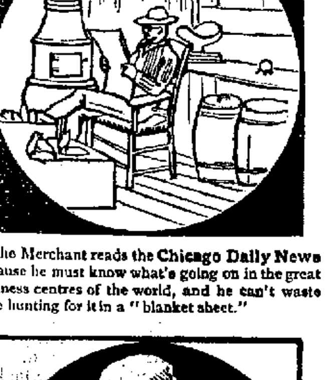
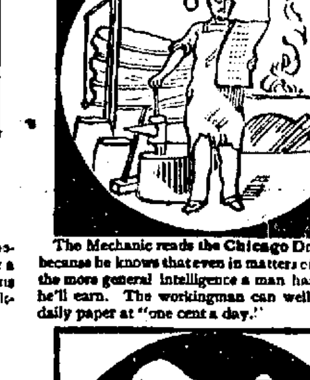
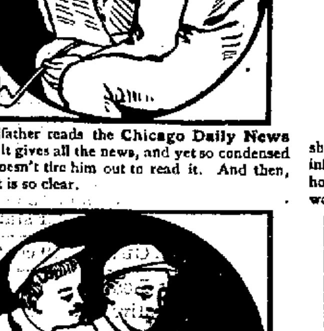


The Merchant reads the **Chicago Daily News** because he must know what's going on in the great business centres of the world, and he can't waste time hunting for it in a "blanket sheet."

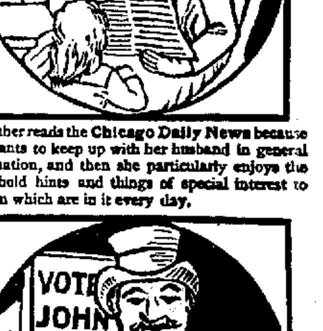
The Farmer reads the Chicago Daily News because he makes more than $3.00 a year—one cent a day—by keeping promptly posted on the variations of the market,—he doesn't wait for the slow weeklies any more.



The Mechanic reads the **Chicago Daily News** because he knows that even in matters of handicraft the more general intelligence a man has the more he'll earn. The workingman can well afford his daily paper at "one cent a day."

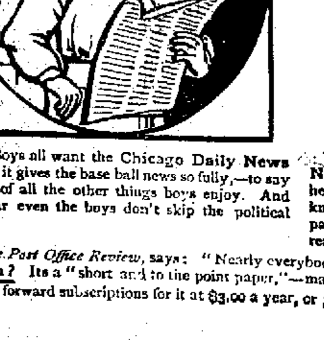


Grandfather reads the **Chicago Daily News** because it gives all the news, and yet so condensed that it doesn't tire him out to read it. And then, the print is so clear.

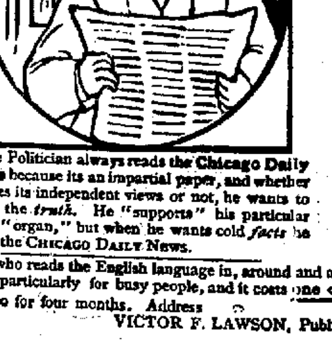


Mother reads the **Chicago Daily News** because she wants to keep up with her husband in general information, and then she particularly enjoys the household hints and things of special interest to women which are in it every day.

Grandmother reads the **Chicago Daily News** because she still wants to know what's going on. And it's a comfort to see a daily paper in the family that's clean and pure,—one she's not afraid to have "the children see."



The Boys all want the **Chicago Daily News** because it gives the base ball news so fully,—to say nothing of all the other things boys enjoy. And this year even the boys don't skip the political news.



The Politician always reads the **Chicago Daily News** because its an impartial paper, and whether he likes its independent views or not, he wants to know the *truth*. He "supports" his particular party "organ," but when he wants cold *facts* he reads the CHICAGO DAILY NEWS.

The Girls all read the Chicago Daily News because they're specially interested in its chatty gossips about fashions and home matters, to say nothing about the excellent serial story always running.

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VICTOR F. LAWSON, Publisher The Chicago Daily News, Chicago.

Notice.

To Jacob Reubsamen:

Notice is hereby given to you, the said Jacob Reubsamen, Executor of the will of Philip J. Becker, deceased, that an affidavit has been filed in the Probate Court of Macon county, Illinois, stating that you, the said Reubsamen, had removed beyond the limits of this state, and that I have been ordered by said court to notify you that you are, by the order of said court, required to appear before the said court at the court house in said county, within thirty days of this, the 3d day of July, A. D. 1888, and make a settlement of your accounts as such executor, required by law. MARGARET BECKER.

J. B. BULLARD,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR,

Has removed from the Old Square to his new quarters, in MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK, 250 N. Water Street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to in the highest style of the art. Calls night or day, will receive prompt attention. In connection, a receiving vault.

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